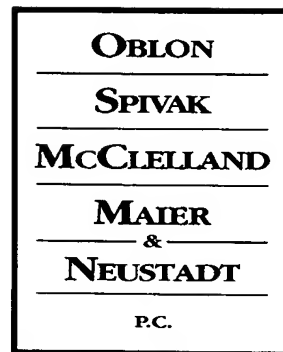




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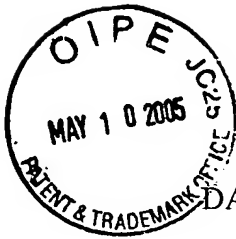
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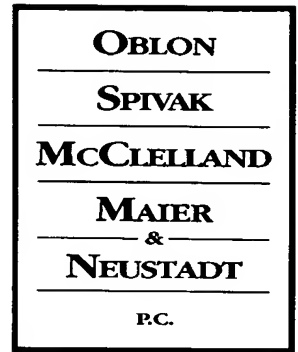
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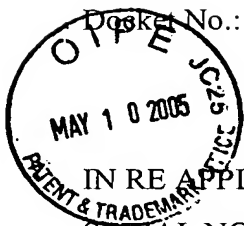
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Responsive to the below indicated communication, the following drawing sheets are submitted herewith:

☒ 1 Replacement Drawing Sheet

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The changes and/or modifications made include the following:

The drawing replacement sheet is being submitted as requested by the Notice of Allowance.  
Labeling Figure 1 as "Prior Art."

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